

Pharmacy Benefact

A BULLETIN FOR PHARMACY SERVICE PROVIDERS FROM ALBERTA BLUE CROSS

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Product supply shortage addressed for *Alberta Drug Benefit List (ADBL)*

Alberta Blue Cross has been advised by Taro Pharmaceuticals Inc. and Teva Canada Limited that the shortage of Taro-Carbamazepine 200 mg Tablet (DIN 02407515) and Teva-Carbamaz 200 mg Tablet (DIN 00782718) has been resolved. Due to the long-term nature of this shortage, a transition period will be applied, and as a result, the LCA price policy will be reapplied to the following grouping **effective November 9, 2015.**

CARBAMAZEPINE

200 MG ORAL TABLET

00002407515	TARO-CARBAMAZEPINE	TAR	\$ 0.2316
00000782718	TEVA-CARBAMAZ	TEV	\$ 0.2432
00000010405	TEGRETOL	NOV	\$ 0.4031

When you have questions:

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